## **NOTICE OF ELECTION**

## King's Lynn and West Norfolk

## **Election of Parish Councillors**

For the Parishes listed below

Parish Wards	Number of Parish Councillors to be elected
Brancaster (Brancaster Ward)	One
Brancaster (Staithe Ward)	One
Clenchwarton	One
Downham Market (Downham Old Town Ward)	One
Downham Market (North Downham Ward)	Three
Downham Market (South Downham Ward)	One
Thornham	One

- 1. Forms of nomination may be obtained from the Clerk to the Parish Council or from the Returning Officer, King's Court, Chapel Street, KING'S LYNN, PE30 1EX who will, at the request of an elector for any electoral area prepare a nomination paper for signature.
- 2. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, King's Court, Chapel Street, King's Lynn, PE30 1EX on any day after the date of this notice, during normal office hours but no later than 4 pm on Thursday, 8th April 2021. Given the restrictions associated with Covid-19, <u>it will be necessary for candidates to make an appointment</u> with the Returning Officer in order that their nomination can be handed in by this deadline. Any request for an appointment should be made via email at: elections@west-norfolk.gov.uk or telephone 01553 616773.
- 3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on **Thursday, 6th May 2021**.
- 4. New postal vote applications (including proxies applying to vote by post), changes or cancellations to existing postal, postal proxy or proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at King's Court, Chapel Street, King's Lynn, PE30 1EX by **5 pm on Tuesday, 20th April 2021.**
- 5. New applications to vote by proxy (not postal proxy) at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at King's Court, Chapel Street, King's Lynn, PE30 1EX by **5 pm on Tuesday, 27th April 2021.**
- 6. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election on the grounds of physical incapacity or for work/service reasons must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at King's Court, Chapel Street, King's Lynn, PE30 1EX by 5 pm on Thursday, 6th May 2021. The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5 pm on Tuesday, 27th April 2021. To apply on the grounds of work/service, the person must have become aware that they cannot go to the polling station in person after 5 pm on Tuesday, 27th April 2021.

Dated: Monday 29 March 2021